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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Examiner Sir/Madam:

This Amendment A is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed December 1, 2008. Applicants are filing a Request For Continuing Examination on even date herewith.

Applicants are filing a Petition For A One Month Extension on even date herewith.

Amendments to the Drawings are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

FIG. 3 stands objected to for failure to recite all the elements of the claims. FIG. 3 is amended herein to include elements added during prosecution to claims 1, 11, and 21.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 22 of this paper.

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